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In January 1953, it was rumored in Demmin that the reconstruction work at Tutow airfield was to start on 1 March 1953. [redacted] the Demmin labor office had to hire laborers for the field up to 1 March 1953. The date for starting reconstruction work was allegedly fixed on 1 January 1953 but had to be postponed. The former settlement for air force dependents, which was previously occupied by resettlers, had to be evacuated up to 1 March. The airfield area was no longer released for cultivation. [redacted] talks with contractors in January that a runway was to be built which was suitable for jet fighters.

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[redacted] Comment. It was repeatedly reported [redacted] improvement work is to start at Tutow airfield. According to the another report, the Bauunion Brandenburg had the contract for the work. If the present report is correct, it appears possible that work will start soon.

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